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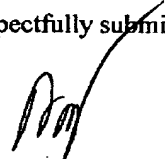
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The fee of \$60 specified in 37 CFR 1.17 for such one (1) month extension of the term for response is enclosed herewith in the form of a Credit Card Authorization Form directing payment of such amount to the credit card identified in the Form.

Authorization also is hereby given to charge the amount of any other fee or amount that may be properly payable for the filing and entry of the response to the May 31, 2006 Office Action, to Deposit Account No. 08-3284 of Intellectual Property/Technology Law.

The response to the May 31, 2006 Office Action is being filed today by separate telefacsimile transmittal to the USPTO.

Respectfully submitted,

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